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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT SEATTLE

9 JEREMY CONKLIN,

10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
13 MEDICINE, *et al.*,

14 Defendants.

15 CASE NO. C18-0090RSL

16 ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S
17 MOTION FOR
18 RECONSIDERATION

19 This matter comes before the Court on plaintiff's "Motion for Reconsideration."
20 Dkt. # 116. Plaintiff asserts that the Court overlooked or misapprehended the merits of
21 his claim under RCW 70.41.235 and the irreparable harm he will likely suffer if
22 injunctive relief is not granted.¹ Motions for reconsideration are disfavored in this
23 district and will be granted only upon a "showing of manifest error in the prior ruling"
24 or "new facts or legal authority which could not have been brought to [the Court's]
25 attention earlier with reasonable diligence." LCR 7(h)(1). Plaintiff has not met his
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27 ¹ With regards to irreparable harm, plaintiff asserts that trial is not likely to occur in June 2019
28 as scheduled because discovery is stayed pending resolution of defendants' motions to dismiss. Dkt.
29 # 116 at 2. The Court has not stayed discovery, however. A pending motion to dismiss does not
30 automatically give rise to a stay and, now that the parties have conducted their Rule 26(f) conference,
31 they may pursue discovery until February 3, 2019, as set forth in the case management order (Dkt.
32 # 98).

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1 burden. The motion for reconsideration is therefore DENIED.
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3 Dated this 13th day of July, 2018.

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5 Robert S. Lasnik
6 United States District Judge
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